

What is claimed is:

1. Email alert devices comprised of:

- (a) an energy source means, local or remote;
- (b) communication means to a local or remote message source;
- (c) one or more sensible means to alert a person that a message has arrived,

whereby for example only, one or a plural of such devices may be placed in various locations, and when a new email arrives to a connected computer or other message receiving apparatus, an appropriate signal is transmitted to the alert device(s), which then outputs one or more sensible alert(s) as generally represented by Fig 1.

2. Email alert devices as recited in claim 1, further comprised of sensible means to provide one additional piece of information associated with the message,

whereby for example only, one or a plural of such devices may be placed in various locations, and when a new email arrives to a connected computer or other message receiving apparatus, appropriate signals are transmitted to the alert device(s), which then outputs one or more sensible alert(s) and also provide one additional piece of information, such as the sender's identification, type of message, priority, etc. as generally represented by Fig 1.

3. Email alert devices as recited in claim 1, further comprised of sensible means to provide two additional pieces of information associated with the message,

whereby for example only, one or a plural of such devices may be placed in various locations, and when a new email arrives to a connected computer or other message receiving apparatus, appropriate signals are transmitted to the alert device(s), which then outputs one or more sensible alert(s) and also provides two additional pieces of information, such as the sender's identification, type of message, priority, etc. as generally represented by Fig 1.

4. Email alert devices as recited in claim 1, further comprised of sensible means to provide three or more additional pieces of information associated with the message,

whereby for example only, one or a plural of such devices may be placed in various locations, and when a new email arrives to a connected computer or other message receiving apparatus, appropriate signals are transmitted to the alert device(s), which then outputs one or more sensible alert(s) and also provides three or more additional pieces of information, such as the sender's identification, type of message, priority, etc. as generally represented by Fig 1.

5. Email alert devices as recited in claim 1, further comprised of one or more means to display messages and any attachments or a portion of the messages,

whereby for example only, one or a plural of such devices may be placed in various locations, and when a new email arrives to a connected computer or other message receiving apparatus, appropriate signals are transmitted to the alert device(s), which then outputs one or more sensible alert(s) and also displays (visually, print, and/or by voice, etc.) the message, etc. as generally represented by Fig 1.

6. Message alert devices comprised of:

- (a) an energy source means, local or remote;
- (b) communication means to a local or remote message source;
- (c) one or more sensible means to alert a person that a message has arrived,

whereby for example only, one or a plural of such devices may be placed in various locations, and when a new message arrives to a connected computer or other message receiving apparatus, an appropriate signal is transmitted to the alert device(s), which then outputs one or more sensible alert(s) as generally represented by Fig 1.

7. Message alert devices as recited in claim 6, further comprised of sensible means to provide one additional piece of information associated with the message,

whereby for example only, one or a plural of such devices may be placed in various locations, and when a new message arrives to a connected computer or other message receiving apparatus, appropriate signals are transmitted to the alert device(s), which then outputs one or more sensible alert(s) and also provide one additional piece of information, such as the sender's identification, type of message, priority, etc. as generally represented by Fig 1.

8. Message alert devices as recited in claim 6, further comprised of sensible means to provide two additional pieces of information associated with the message,

whereby for example only, one or a plural of such devices may be placed in various locations, and when a new message arrives to a connected computer or other message receiving apparatus, appropriate signals are transmitted to the alert device(s), which then outputs one or more sensible alert(s) and also provides two additional pieces of information, such as the sender's identification, type of message, priority, etc. as generally represented by Fig 1.

9. Message alert devices as recited in claim 6, further comprised of sensible means to provide three or more additional pieces of information associated with the message,

whereby for example only, one or a plural of such devices may be placed in various locations, and when a new message arrives to a connected computer or other message receiving apparatus, appropriate signals are transmitted to the alert device(s), which then outputs one or more sensible alert(s) and also provides three or more additional pieces of information, such as the sender's identification, type of message, priority, etc. as generally represented by Fig 1.

10. Message alert devices as recited in claim 6, further comprised of one or more means to display messages and any attachments or a portion of the messages,

whereby for example only, one or a plural of such devices may be placed in various locations, and when a new message arrives to a connected computer or other message receiving apparatus, appropriate signals are transmitted to the alert device(s), which then outputs one or more sensible alert(s) and also displays (visually, print, and/or by voice, etc.) the message, etc. as generally represented by Fig 1.

11. Non PC-based mobile devices for alerting users of PC-based messages comprised of:

- (a) an energy source means;
- (b) a wireless communication means to a local or remote server or other source;
- (c) one or more sensible means to alert a person that a message has arrived;

whereby for example only, one or a plural of such devices may carried or worn or be placed in various locations, and when a new PC-based message arrives to a remote server, connected computer or other message receiving apparatus, appropriate signals are transmitted to the alert device(s), which then outputs one or more sensible alert(s) as generally represented by Fig 2.

12. Non PC-based mobile alert devices as recited in claim 11, further comprised of sensible means to provide one additional piece of information associated with the message,

whereby for example only, one or a plural of such devices may carried or worn or be placed in various locations, and when a new PC-based message arrives to a remote server, connected computer or other message receiving apparatus, appropriate signals are transmitted to the alert device(s), which then outputs one or more sensible alert(s) and also provides an additional piece of information, such as the sender's identification, type of message, priority, etc. as generally represented by Fig 2.

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13. Non PC-based mobile alert devices as recited in claim 11, further comprised of sensible means to provide two or more additional pieces of information associated with the message,

whereby for example only, one or a plural of such devices may carried or worn or be placed in various locations, and when a new PC-based message arrives to a remote server, connected computer or other message receiving apparatus, appropriate signals are transmitted to the alert device(s), which then outputs one or more sensible alert(s) and also provides two or more additional piece of information, such as the sender's identification, type of message, priority, etc. as generally represented by Fig 2.

14. Non PC-based mobile alert devices as recited in claim 11, further comprised of sensible means to display the message and any attachments or a portion of the messages,

whereby for example only, one or a plural of such devices may carried or worn or be placed in various locations, and when a new PC-based message arrives to a remote server, connected computer or other message receiving apparatus, appropriate signals are transmitted to the alert device(s), which then outputs one or more sensible alert(s) and also displays (visually, print, and/or by voice, etc.) the message, etc. as generally represented by Fig 2.

15. Mobile devices for alerting users of arriving messages comprised of:

- (a) an energy source means;
- (b) a wireless communication means to a local or remote server or other source;
- (c) one or more sensible means to alert a person that a message has arrived;

whereby for example only, one or a plural of such devices may carried or worn or be placed in various locations, and when a message arrives to a remote server, connected computer or other message receiving apparatus, appropriate signals are transmitted to the alert device(s), which then outputs one or more sensible alert(s) as generally represented by Fig 2.

16. Mobile alert devices as recited in claim 15, further comprised of sensible means to provide one additional piece of information associated with the message,

whereby for example only, one or a plural of such devices may carried or worn or be placed in various locations, and when a message arrives to a remote server, connected computer or other message receiving apparatus, appropriate signals are transmitted to the alert device(s), which then outputs one or more sensible alert(s) and also provides an additional piece of information, such as the sender's identification, type of message, priority, etc. as generally represented by Fig 2.

17. Mobile alert devices as recited in claim 15, further comprised of sensible means to provide two or more additional pieces of information associated with the message,

whereby for example only, one or a plural of such devices may carried or worn or be placed in various locations, and when a message arrives to a remote server, connected computer or other message receiving apparatus, appropriate signals are transmitted to the alert device(s), which then outputs one or more sensible alert(s) and also provides two or more additional piece of information, such as the sender's identification, type of message, priority, etc. as generally represented by Fig 2.

18. Mobile alert devices as recited in claim 15, further comprised of sensible means to display the message and any attachments or a portion of the messages,

whereby for example only, one or a plural of such devices may carried or worn or be placed in various locations, and when a message arrives to a remote server, connected computer or other message receiving apparatus, appropriate signals are transmitted to the alert device(s), which then outputs one or more sensible alert(s) and also displays (visually, print, and/or by voice, etc.) the message, etc. as generally represented by Fig 2.

19. Alert devices, or functional portions necessary thereof, as recited in claims 1 through 18, for integration into common devices, such as mobile phones, wired phones, wireless phones, PDAs, various mobile devices, MP3s, laptops, radios, TVs, Web TVs, computers, etc.,

whereby for example only, such integrated devices may better alert persons to messages and/or better display such messages.

20. Business method means and service means to provide services and establish Internet and other related businesses related to the devices and related message services claimed in claims 1 through 19.

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